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DDS&T WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS FOR THE DCI WEEK OF 2 JULYIN GENERALDDS&T TDY

During Mr. Hineman's two week overseas TDY, Mr. Taylor will serve as the Acting Deputy Director for Science and Technology. Mr. Hineman plans to be back in the office on Monday, 19 July.

Deputy Director of Technical Service

[] has announced his retirement effective 16 July. We are working closely with the DDO to select a candidate to replace him.

U-2 Aircraft Transfer to Smithsonian

Earlier this year former Deputy Director Inman, with the concurrence of former Air Force Chief of Staff Allen, agreed with our plans to transfer to the National Air and Space Museum a U-2 aircraft. We are moving ahead with preparations for the movement of U-2 #347 from the Lockheed Facility at Palmdale, California to the Paul E. Garber Facility in Silver Hill, Maryland where it will be exhibited initially. Target date for the arrival of the aircraft at Silver Hill is 31st August, 1982. Between that date and Labor Day, the aircraft will be reassembled inside Building 21, utilizing personnel of the Garber Facility supported by a senior Lockheed supervisor. It seems reasonable to assume that a presentation of the aircraft to the Museum authorities could be held as early as the week of 12 September or a suitable day thereafter.

The museum U-2C aircraft will be presented as an unmarked exhibit. This is consistent with the practice used in actual overflights of denied areas. Only a three digit number would be displayed on the vertical tail surface. The color will be overall blue-gray. We plan to execute the formal transfer in a ceremony to be held at Silver Hill. As we move closer to September we will develop with the Office of External Affairs specific plans and a guest list which should include Kelly Johnson and his long time friend Senator Barry Goldwater. We would be pleased to have your suggestions.

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